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MANY MOURN GEORGE

Enormous Concourse Views the Economist's Olay.

MANY EULOGISTS PRAISE HIS NAME.

Solemn Scenes in the Grand Central Palace and Along this Route of the Civic Funeral From New York to Brooklyn City Hall.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Thousands of people, including Henry George and others who did not agree with his teachings, but admired his honesty and manhood, heard the funeral service in the Grand Central Palace yesterday afternoon.

In the early dawn the body was moved in a plain bier from the hotel to the palace, and upon arrival the grandeur of the funeral was apparent. Behind the bier, a single caisson, Anna George, the deceased's daughter, insisted upon accompanying the body to the Grand Central Palace. No persuasions could sway her from her purpose. Weeping bitterly, she stood at the head of the caisson and begged to be permitted to go. She wished to arrange the flowers about the casket in which her father's remains rested.

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THE ISSUE IN THIS CITY.

Do you like high taxes?

If so, vote the Republican city and ward ticket.

Do you want lower taxes?

If so, vote the Democratic city and ward ticket.

Middletown under Republican rule has the highest tax rate of any city in New York State. Here are the figures compiled by Mayor Odell, of Newburgh, and used by him in his annual message.

CITY.	RATE PER \$1,000.
MIDDLETOWN	38.75
Utica	32.50
Gloversville	29.00
Rome	28.48
Auburn	28.04
Poughkeepsie	27.60
Hudson	25.07
Elmira	24.96
Newburgh	24.80
Yonkers	23.39
Albany	22.00
Niagara Falls	21.25
Mount Vernon	20.50
Schenectady	20.10
Syracuse	19.87
Troy	19.27
Cohoes	18.10
Rochester	18.00
Kingston	17.50
Binghamton	14.39
Lockport	12.02
Hornellsville	9.38

Under Republican rule the expenses of Middletown's city government have steadily increased. In 1891, the last year that Democrats had charge of city affairs, the city tax levy was \$65,958; in 1894, with Republicans only partly in power, city expenses were \$69,993; in 1896, with all departments of the city government in Republican hands, they were \$86,375 and this year \$102,751.

The only answer Republicans have made to these tax rate figures has been to try and confuse the public with fairy tales about low valuations. They have had no answer to the figures that show how city expenses have increased under Republican rule. Those figures are unanswerable and show the urgent need of greater economy in municipal affairs.

The only hope of relief for the overburdened taxpayer is in a change in the administration of city affairs. Without a change extravagance will continue, expenses increase and the tax rate go still higher.

Vote the Democratic ticket for city officers. Every candidate is pledged to a policy of economy and retrenchment. Here is the DEMOCRATIC CITY PLATFORM:

The steady and enormous increase in the expenses of the city government under Republican rule, from \$69,993 in 1891 to \$84,375 in 1896, and \$102,751 this year, being a check on our city's growth and development, and a cruel burden and needless drain on the resources of the city, we pledge the candidates nominated by this convention to a policy of the strictest economy consistent with a decent, orderly and efficient administration of the city's affairs; and we further pledge them to a more conservative policy in the ordering of special improvements, to be paid for by special assessments, to the end that property owners may not be distressed and oppressed to meet the cost of improvements far in advance of the real needs of the city.

His Son's Declaration.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Henry George, the son and son-in-law of the late Henry George, has issued the following statement:

I am in a life of pain and suffering, and I have a clear understanding of and profound admiration for all that he has said and done. A man has but one life to live. I solemnly dedicate mine to the cause to which my father gave his.

If I do not die the exalted chief of mayor of Greater New York, I shall hold myself pledged to fulfill every condition and promise made by him, and most especially shall I do so with a full and faithful understanding of the public interest and the duty of the city.

To all the world I proclaim this. My father's work, as he planned and pursued it, shall be carried forward without halting or swerving. Let all who look upon the life of his standard bearer and follower, for it presses on and shall press on and on while life is left.

Recommend a Naval Patrol.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Much of interest to people in the navy is contained in the annual report of Captain A. S. Crow, commander-in-chief of the bureau of navigation. He recommends the scheme proposed by Lieutenant Story of the navy and endorsed by Assistant Secretary Roosevelt for the establishment of a naval patrol on the Yukon river. All communication in Alaska is by water, he says, and he asks that congress make provision for three small patrol boats along the river, to be in command of naval officers and carried by land troops and marines, and for a light draft stern wheel steamer to patrol between the posts. He estimates that the posts could be created and equipped for \$3,000 and that the steamer could be built or purchased for the same amount.

Hysteria, Not Hydrophobia.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Frank Hammond, a young bartender, whose parents reside at Bridgeport, Conn., suddenly became very violent at 156 Reade street here. When the police were called in they thought Hammond, who was squirming about the floor and biting and snapping at every one who approached him, was suffering from hydrophobia. He was secured and taken to the Hudson Street hospital, where the physicians said the young man was simply hysterical.

She Hanged Herself.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Nov. 1.—Mrs. Edward Stowell of this city, 53 years of age, hanged herself while, it is thought, in a state of temporary insanity.

FOUND AT LAST.

Engineer John Foyle's Body Taken From the Hudson River.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 1.—Yesterday afternoon the Poughkeepsie volunteer fire saving corps, composed of Captain Isaac H. Wood and his three sons, succeeded in accomplishing what divers and dredges have failed in doing the past week, the recovery of the body of Engineer John Foyle, who rode to his death on engine No. 872 in the disastrous wreck near Garrison's on the New York Central railroad a week ago. Captain Wood's three sons, Amos, Edmond and George, yesterday went to the wreck and the body of the engineer was taken from the wreckage. They were equipped with the best scuba diving gear, and, according to a boat of Garrison's, command of their work.

Every inch of ground was carefully searched, and the body was finally located a few feet from shore in the big hole made by the locomotive when it plowed its way to the bottom of the river with its three occupants.

The remains were badly decomposed and were taken to Cold Spring at once and put into a metallic casket.

A \$20,000 Diamond Robbery.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Captain McCluskey, chief of the detective bureau, and a score of the ablest men under his command have been engaged during the past week in trying to solve the mystery of a great diamond robbery. A cache of diamonds valued at \$20,000 was stolen from the apartments of Mrs. Alice Norton, a young widow, in the Hotel Marlborough, and as yet the thief has not been found. Some of the diamonds, however, were recovered in pawn shops.

The Long Drought Ended.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 1.—On the nineteenth day of the unprecedented drought in this section a soaking rain came to southern Illinois and central, southern and western Missouri. In some parts of that territory there had been no rain save a small shower three weeks ago in more than 100 days. The dry spell is estimated to have reduced the winter wheat average in these sections just one-half.

Colored Man Eludes Detectives.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Nov. 1.—Joseph "Tozzio," an Italian, was shot and killed in a quarrel at Norristown, four miles from here. A negro named Wheeler, charged with the murder, was located in Philadelphia. Detectives went there to arrest him, but he managed to make good his escape.

The Hospital Largely Benefited.

GENEVA, N. Y., Nov. 1.—The harvest festival given by the lady managers of the new Medical and Surgical hospital has closed, with receipts netting \$2,000.

BLANCO IS IN CUBA.

Weyler Greets Him and Hands Over the Command.

HAS ISSUED MANIFESTO TO CUBANS.

The New Captain General Declares That He Will Proceed With Rigor Against the Insurgents if They Continue to Show Fight.

HAVANA, Nov. 1.—The Spanish commander Alfonso XIII, with Marshal Blanco, the new governor-general of Cuba, on board, was sighted off Havana yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock. At 7 o'clock the Alfonso XIII entered the harbor, and the General Weyler, the Marquis of Aguilar, Admiral Navarro and other high military and naval officers went in a special steamer to meet General Blanco.

After a long and cordial conference, Lieutenant General Weyler yielded up his command to his successor. At 10:30 Marshal Blanco landed. According to the official account, he was "enthusiastically greeted" by the populace, who shouted "Long live Blanco!" The vessels in the harbor and the streets were gayly decorated, the wharves were crowded with people, and troops and volunteers lined the thoroughfares from the landing stage to the palace.

When Marshal Blanco arrived at the palace, he was met by the civil and military authorities and by deputations representing the various political parties and then proceeded to the Hall of Congress, where in a grand ceremony the ritual and customary customary on such occasions, he took the oath of fidelity to Spain.

He then appeared upon the balcony and relieved the troops.

Among the officers who accompanied Marshal Blanco on the Alfonso XIII are General Gonzalez, General Parado, General Pando, General Pin, General Aguirre, General Caballero, General Salcedo and General Balderama.

Marshal Blanco has issued the following proclamation to the inhabitants of Cuba:

"I am again among you, with good will and a sincere desire to serve the general welfare and to establish a lasting peace. I shall follow a broad policy in my endeavor to restore fraternity among all of Cuba's inhabitants. I am sincere in my intention to inaugurate a new government policy, the object of which will be to secure and preserve peace.

"I hope you will all salute and embrace the Spanish flag, throwing aside all party prejudices and discarding alliances with those who are staining the country with blood.

"Every man, woman and child who observe the law, but, however regrettable it may be, I shall personally fight those who disregard or wantonly continue to carry on war."

Must Be Vexed With Weyler.

MADRID, Nov. 1.—Considerable surprise and ill feeling have been occasioned in official circles by the statement, in the Cuban accounts of the deposition of Alfonso XIII on Friday which preceded Lieutenant General Weyler's embarkation on the Montsermo, that he had declared while addressing the Cubans that he had been treated in obedience to the wishes of the rebels and the demands of the United States.

Mutinous Spanish Recruits.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—A special dispatch says that 60 recruits at Javia, in the province of Havana, Spain, destined for service in Cuba, became mutinous and, deserting their camp, fled to France.

Bank to Advance a Big Sum.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—According to the Madrid correspondent of The Standard, the Bank of Spain has agreed to advance the Cuban treasury \$500,000 of pounds and the currency of the Philippines \$500,000 of pesos.

A New Transatlantic Mail Service.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—It is announced here that the Cable and Wireless Company has agreed to carry the mails for a new transatlantic line to St. John N. B. during the winter and to Montreal in the summer.

Died Through Carelessness.

LOWVILLE, N. Y., Nov. 1.—Jesse Jones, a resident of Lyons Falls, by mistake drank a quantity of cologne instead of medicine, which medicine and then two hours later.

Deadly Jimson Weed Seed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Two small boys named Carl Gerber and William Roth, while playing in Riverside park, came across some Jimson weed seed. Not knowing that the latter were poisonous, the children ate several of the seeds, and a result Gerber died at his home, 202 West Eighty-fourth street, and his companion is very sick at his residence, 322 Amsterdam avenue. Jimson weed seeds contain stramonium, a violent narcotic similar in its effects to belladonna.

A Room to Householders.

BERLIN, Nov. 1.—The firm of Kubitz & Deissler of this city has patented a simple smoke consumer, consisting of a fireplace plate to be inserted in the furnace, which is said to effect a complete combustion of smoke and to average a saving of 20 per cent in fuel. An ordinary Bremen is able to replace it. Its cost is 100 marks. Experts declare that it will revolutionize the system of heating by coal.

KILLED AT FOOTBALL

University of Georgia's Full-back Fatally Hurt.

THE TEAM DISBANDED AS A RESULT.

It Is Possible Now That State Legislature Will Make It a Misdemeanor For Any One to Play the Game in Georgia.

ATLANTA, Nov. 1.—The modern game of football has claimed another victim—Richard Von Gannon, who died from concussion of the brain, induced by injuries received in Saturday afternoon's game between the teams of the University of Virginia and the University of Georgia, on which latter team he was fullback.

Von Gannon was but 15 years old, a member of a prominent family at Rome, Ga., and one of the best and most popular students at the Georgia university. The accident occurred in the second half, while the game was at its most exciting point. The scrimmage was one of the most desperate of the game, and when Von Gannon tackled and was thrown to the ground there was a fearful collision of all the players. The men crowded on top of each other and many were buried under the weight of the heavy men, who leaned and tripped on top of the first men to fall.

When the whistle sounded, the players quickly arose, and all save young Von Gannon resumed their places. Georgia's fullback remained outstretched on the field, and he failed to move when the men got up off of him. Friends quickly ran to his assistance and asked him if he was hurt. He could only murmur unintelligible words, and the swimmers and watermen quickly began work. Every restorative at hand was applied, but it was of no use.

The terrible blow or fall, whatever it was, had done its work. Von Gannon lay motionless, stunned, bleeding and slowly losing consciousness. The Grady hospital ambulance was summoned and Von Gannon taken there, where he remained unconscious until his death occurred. It is not known if an inquest will be held, but it is improbable that any of the players will be held responsible.

The present season is the second in which Von Gannon had been a member of the university football team. He was one of the strongest men of the team last year, and during the season he made many brilliant marks on the field. He was also a member of the baseball team. He played third base and was one of the finest men in that position among the southern universities. He had been a leader in athletics in the university, and he was a strong and well-developed man. He was known as one of the reliable men of the team and could always be counted upon to do his part. However, his death was a great loss to the university.

The Georgia team has canceled its engagements, and Chancellor Boggs declares it will abandon that form of sport.

Von Gannon's death may end football in Georgia. A bill is now pending before the legislature to make it unlawful and when it is passed, it is probable that it will now be passed. Its author states that he will call it up before the legislature at once.

Successful Safe Cracking.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Nov. 1.—The postoffice in Haddonfield, one mile from here, has been robbed. It is in the Cain building, in the heart of the town. The big safe was blown open with dynamite. The explosion awakened the inmates of the building, some of whom lie directly over the postoffice. They believed that a fire had broken out and were first in a panic and then gave the matter little attention. The robbers took packages of retracted letters, stamps, valuable papers and a small sum of money. All the mail matter in the private letter boxes was removed and carried away in sacks. The thieves carried off this booty with the aid of a hired horse and a wagon, which lay close to the stable of Morgan Hall near the postoffice. Postmaster Hickey cannot estimate the loss.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Fire in a cotton mill at Atlanta caused \$17,000 loss.

Foreign postage rates from Japan have been doubled.

A hamper of water in Vienna last night in honor of Mark Twain.

Thomas P. Smith of Plattsburg, N. Y., has been appointed supervisor of Indian schools.

Roswell P. Flow has been chosen to the chairmanship of the board of trustees of Cornell university.

The suspension on Starbuck, the fast cyclist, has been raised, as also has the suspension on Otto Ziegler.

Fire in a mine in Scranton, Pa., caused the loss of six lives. The bodies of the victims were recovered.

Scott Kirby, while asleep on the track at Lenoxville, Mass., was struck by an electric car and instantly killed.

Patrick Donahue fell beneath a train at Blackstone, Mass., and received fatal injuries. He was only 22 years of age.

Further returns of the election in Newfoundland seem to indicate that Sir William Whiteway has been defeated by the Opposition.

Mrs. Nellie Peterkin shot Mrs. Catharine Murphy, in Boston, in mistake for Joseph Murphy, the dead woman's husband, against whom Mrs. Peterkin had a grudge.

Edward Haynes was found guilty at Watertown, N. Y., of murder in the second degree. He was charged with killing Mary Crouch and Mary Daly. The case will be appealed.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—One of the figures of New York climate, six of Lieutenant Peary's Eskimo protégés, who are in the city in a hospital. One of them has pneumonia, the other five have had attacks of bronchitis. They are very sick and need little food. For the last few days they have been fed on Jellies and Chicken Broth, but declare they would sooner eat tough meat, stog-lard and tallow candles.

The primary cause of the illness is the change from the cold Arctic air to the warm New York air. The Eskimos are very sick and need little food. For the last few days they have been fed on Jellies and Chicken Broth, but declare they would sooner eat tough meat, stog-lard and tallow candles.

They had nothing to do and spent most of the day in the hospital. The Eskimos are very sick and need little food. For the last few days they have been fed on Jellies and Chicken Broth, but declare they would sooner eat tough meat, stog-lard and tallow candles.

Another, the wife of Nookien, the dean of the band, is the most seriously ill. She has an exceedingly bad cough, and it racks her little frame almost incessantly. She and her 12-year-old daughter, Ah-yah, were placed in the women's ward. The men stand by the door and look on with interest. They were at last almost dragged to their own quarters.

The Eskimos later made a complaint to House Physician Daly. Since their admission to the hospital ward the Eskimos have been treated very kindly by the nurses. They have been given chicken soup and the tenderest portions of beef and lamb, and sweetened Jellies. The patients, in their complaint, stated that they preferred tough meat to eat, and suggested that in place of the soups and Jellies they be supplied with leaf lard or tallow candles.

The Eskimos will hereafter be given "boiling house steak" and possibly some lard to grease up with, but the physicians have drawn the line on candles as diet.

Pickpocket Got His Watch.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Elmer G. Donahue of Chelsea, Conn., was standing at Broadway and Thirty-ninth street watching a political parade pass by. When he felt a tug at his watch-chain, he discovered that his \$100 gold watch and chain were gone. He followed a negro who had been standing near him. He had the negro arrested, but the watch was not found on him. The prisoner described himself as Frank Hester, 20 years old, of 121 West Twenty-fifth street. Seven pawn tickets for gold watches were found in his possession. He was arraigned in Jefferson Market court and held for trial.

Government Will Look For Andree.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 1.—The government has instructed the governor of the province of Tromsø, the most northern province of Norway, to charter a steamer at the expense of the state, to provision it for six months and to send out a full expedition for Herr Andree, the aviator, who ascended in his balloon, the Eagle, on July 11 last from Spitzbergen, 400 miles northwest of the North Cape of Norway, in a proposed expedition to the north pole. The relief steamer will start in three days' time from Tromsø, on Tromsø island, off the north coast of Norway, and will proceed to Spitzbergen.

Robbed In a Bowery Dive.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Thomas Sager, 20 years old, of Mansfield, Mass., came here last Friday with the intention of settling for his home in Middlesex, county, Conn., Ireland. He wanted to see the sights of the city, and was taking his departure, and while doing so, made the acquaintance of May Sullivan, 25 Fifth street. She lured Sager into a cheap hotel on the Bowery, and when he awoke Sunday morning May was missing, and so was his overcoat in the arms of which he had stowed away \$255. May was arrested and held for trial, but neither the money nor overcoat was recovered.

Black Drive Thievesmen Back.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 1.—According to a dispatch from Kanappa, the expected advance to Arkansas pass was made yesterday morning. General Westcott ordered the villages covering the line of advance, and the artillery, brought into action at 8:30 o'clock, soon expelled the tribesmen from the villages. Only slight opposition was encountered. The first was reached and the pass captured by General Westcott at 10:30. The British sustained only a trifling loss. Captain Scarle of the Sikhs was slightly wounded.

Returns His Bounty.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Nov. 1.—Walter R. Houston, the postal clerk arrested for theft of a \$15,000 order package, returned to the office \$11,500 which he had concealed in the barn and chicken coop at his residence.

Yellow Fever's Phases.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The yellow fever situation may be summed up as follows: New Orleans, 29 new cases, 4 deaths; Montgomery, Ala., 6 new cases; Mobile, 11 new cases; Biloxi, Miss., 3 new cases.

CROKER SUED.

Action For \$100,000 Damages For Libel Brought Against Him.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Colonel George Waring, Jr., the commissioner of street cleaning, has brought suit for libel against Richard Croker for \$100,000 damages. The summons was served on Croker at Judge Van Wyck's headquarters at the Bartholdi hotel. Included with Croker as defendants are Blakeley Hall and Edward H. Haines. Mr. Hall is the editor and Mr. Haines the publisher of The Morning Telegraph. The newspaper is not published by a corporation, but by individuals.

The libel is the reproduction of a statement issued by Tammany Hall reflecting on Colonel Waring's administration of the street cleaning department. It accuses Waring of running the department to his own advantage, instilling many things which Waring is said to have taken personal advantage of. Colonel Waring says that the suit is a mere sensational affair, but will be pushed with vigor.

The Campaign Over.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—Tomorrow will decide the contest for the first mayor of Greater New York. The last gun in the campaign has been fired, and while the death of Henry George has complicated matters, each of the candidates claims a certain victory. Ex-Mayor Hugh J. Grant estimates Van Wyck's vote at 210,000. Chairman Quigg is sanguine over the prospect of a good majority for General Tracy, while Jacob Worth estimates that Mr. Low's vote in Kings county alone will be between 75,000 and 81,000. The Jeffersonian Democracy, headed by Henry George's son, are confident that they will poll 220,000 votes.

An Example.

"It's the man who persists as if rise in the world," remarked Mr. Rafferty, sentimentally.

"True for yez," replied Mr. Dolan. "An' fur proof O' it, point till the tombstone is a friar that persisted in thawin' dynamite be a shover."—Washington Star.

But He Wasn't.

"Jones and Brown are very bitter against each other."

"Yes, and it's all due to a misunderstanding, too."

"I doed?"

"Yes; each thought the other was an easy mark."—Chicago Journal.

Generosity.

"You've got an awful cold, Smithers. Why don't you go to a doctor and get him to give you something for it?"

"Give me something for it! Man, he can't help it for nothing and welcome!"—Erie Dispatch.

They Were Grateful.

"The tip that tough liquor shall never touch mine!"

Was the theme of the spinster's song; And all who occasionally look on the wine Appaured her loudly and long. —Chicago Times-Herald.

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Double-lined, \$2.50 value, at Tompkins' \$2.25 each.

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And others renovated, cleaned, washed or new ones furnished. All work guaranteed.

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In order to reduce our large stock of Groceries and Provisions before moving, we will discount the price on all goods and give the buyers the benefit. We will sell—

Can Corn at 5c, Can Beans 7c, Can Peas 6c, Condensed Milk 8c, 2 for 15c; Domes in Sardines 6 for 25c, Imported Sardines 15c, Best Flour \$5.50 and up, Soda Crackers 6 to 10c, Oyster Crackers 8, 10, 12c, Fischer Mills Superior Coffee 13c, 2 pounds for 25c; Tea Dust 15c, Extra Oolong and Young Hyson 25 to 50c, Good Soap 2c a cake.

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Ladies' Elegant Catapult Bonnet Cloth Jackets.

Shield front, fur collar, tailor finish, made to sell for \$15. at Tompkins' \$10 each.

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20 pair of Blankets, white or blue, sold for \$15. at Tompkins' \$10 each.

100 PAIR. Flannel Blankets, or Tompkins' HEAVY, sold for \$15. They are \$1 quality.

FINE CALIFORNIA ALUMINUM. \$2.50 a pair. WOOL BLANKETS, \$1.50 each.

LARGE. All wool Cashmere Blankets, at EXTRA SIZE Tompkins' \$15 each.

GOOD, HEAVY. at Tompkins' 75c each, a \$1 COMFORTABLES quality.

TWILLED. Shalloon-Lined Comfortables at \$5. SAT LLEN a good 1-25 quality.

SHEETS, FLANNELS. Extra large Full & Case, \$5.50, 10 each, EXTRA LARGE Hemmed Sheets, 15c each.

Ten Pieces all Linen.

Black and White Table Linen 61 inches wide and worth 20c, at Tompkins', while they last, 15c a yard.

LARGE. At 81 a dozen, elsewhere DENNER NAPKINS \$1.25.

RID OR. Twilled all wool Flannel at Tompkins' 25c a yard—a 25c quality.

SHAKIER. 50 pieces 37c a yard, a good 50 FLANNEL quality.

REMNANTS OF CUTTING FLANNEL. At Tompkins' 6c a yard.

REMNANTS OF CANTON FLANNEL. At Tompkins' 6c a yard, regular 10c goods.

LADIES' CHILDREN'S. Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Underwear 10c, worth 15c; Men's White or Grey Merino Underwear, at Tompkins' 25c each.

Men's 50c, Fleece Lined.

Underwear, at Tompkins' 35c each.

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TRIAL WITHOUT EXPENSE.
 The famous Appliance and Remedies of the Erie Medical Co. now for the first time offered on trial without expense to any honest man. Not a dollar to be paid in advance. Cure Effects of Errors or Excesses in Old or Young. Manhood Fully Restored. How to Enlarge and Strengthen Weak, Undeveloped Portions of Body. Absolutely Unfailing Home Treatment. No C. O. D. or other scheme. A plain offer by a firm of high standing.

ERIE MEDICAL CO. 64 N. N. ST. BUFFALO, N. Y.

ECONOMY AT ORANGE FARM.

The office of Superintendent of the Poor is a very important one. Honest, capable and economical superintendents can so manage the county's poor affairs as to do ample justice to all dependents on its charity and save thousands of dollars to the taxpayers every year. Reckless, dishonest or extravagant superintendents can make the expenses of maintaining the county's poor a very grievous burden to taxpayers.

Since the Republicans have had control of the Board of Superintendents there has been a marked increase in the county's poor expenses. The cost of maintaining paupers at Orange Farm is one, third greater than it was when Democrats controlled the Board and strict economy prevailed in every department.

If the people of Orange county are alive to their interests they will elect Charles B. Wood superintendent. He is honest and capable, a brave soldier and will make a good public servant. He does not keep trotters himself and will not allow a string of trotters to be kept in the county house stables.

It is practical common sense to assume that it is for the interest of the taxpayers to have a Democrat in the Board of Superintendents. He will be a whole-some check on his Republican associates.

There is a widespread revolt among Republicans against the candidacy of Dave Bogart. His nomination was forced by the machine and he was put over the head of Thomas Merritt, who desired a re-nomination but who had been too honest, too faithful, too watchful of the people's interests. The bosses could not use him, could not make him prostitute his official trust to partisan ends and he had to go.

A vote against Bogart is a vote against extravagant expenditures at Orange Farm and high taxes for the poor land. A vote for Charles B. Wood is a vote for honesty and economy in the management of the county's poor affairs and that means lower taxes.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Jonathan Devo, the Democratic candidate for District Attorney, is a lawyer of good abilities, high character and professional attainments of a high order. He has, by industry, fidelity to the interests of his clients and the loyal talents he has displayed won a large practice. He will make a good District Attorney. He will be zealous and faithful in his discharge of every duty. He is making a gallant fight against heavy odds and deserves the support of every Democrat and of all Republicans, who realize that the only way of taking power from the machine which now controls their party in Orange county is to defeat all the candidates that it puts in the field.

OUR CANDIDATES FOR CORONERS.

Stephen Wohl, Democrat, candidate for coroner, is one of Middletown's best known business men. He is a good citizen, an always loyal Democrat and will make a good coroner. His opponent Mr. Becker, has already held the office for six years and there are many Republicans who will vote for Mr. Wohl because they are opposed on principle to third terms for local officials.

John H. Chapman, of Newburgh, the other Democrat candidate for coroner is a most worthy man and will make a good official. Vote for him.

TWICE PAID FOR SERVICE.

Where \$500 of the People's Money Was Squandered.

Orange county's Republican Supervisors paid last year, two of these names, for printing the official reports, because it was said the printers had not expended great care that they were properly distributed. The Supervisors also paid County Clerk Taggart \$500 for seeing that the reports were properly distributed. Evidently the people's money was squandered in double payment for the same service.

Samuel D. Robertson, elected County Clerk, he will not accept payment for services that he has not rendered. If a Democratic Board of Supervisors is elected it will not pay twice for the same service.

They Stand for Economy at All Times.

There are but two Democrats in the Common Council and they have had a hard time of it pitted against seven Republicans, as every citizen knows. The political line has been drawn on them every time; indeed it has been plainly manifest that their political opponents in the Board, with two notable exceptions, have regarded it as presumptuous for them to speak, or even have opinions, on matters affecting the good and welfare of the community. We submit that it's about time that this despotic majority rule in that body was put an end to.

For Supervisor of Crawford.

Samuel D. Robertson have made a good Supervisor. His record in the Board is one that commands the admiration of even his political opponents. Every interest of his town has been closely watched and he has done good service for the people of the county at large. The people of the town of Crawford, whom he has served so faithfully may be depended upon to re-elect him Tuesday.

"I was troubled with quinsy for five years. Thomas' Electric Oil cured me. My wife and child had diphtheria. Thomas' Electric Oil cured them. I would not be without it in the house for any consideration." Rev. E. F. Crane, Dunkirk, N. Y.

MISTAKES AND FAILURES.

Louis Bedell, ever since he was nominated for a third term, has been busy explaining and defending the record he made in the Assembly. Although he has to admit that he has failed to do the things he ought to have done and has done things that he ought not to have done he expects his constituents to believe his promises that if they try him again he will make no more mistakes and no more failures. But the people are not believing him. They judge of the future by the past.

The truth of the matter is that the plain people of this Assembly district have come to know and understand that Mr. Bedell is not the man to represent them. He has nothing in common with them. He has preferred to represent the classes rather than the masses. No man in sympathy with the struggling farmers, the mechanics, the small business men, the toilers of all kinds in Orange county would have lent himself to the bill to bond the county for \$200,000 for road improvement for the benefit of the leisure class. On his record as sponsor for that measure Mr. Bedell ought to fall.

Daniel P. Schultz, the Democratic candidate opposed to Mr. Bedell, is a man of the people, in touch and in sympathy with them. He will make a good legislator and will never misrepresent his district. He was a brave soldier. There is nothing in his life that makes him afraid that "scandalous articles" will be printed about him. He ought to be elected. Vote for him.

WHY TAGGART SHOULD BE BEATEN

At a low estimate William G. Taggart, during the six years he has held the office of County Clerk, has cleared \$40,000, and this fact furnishes 40,000 reasons why he should not be re-elected.

He was nominated for a third term in spite of the protests of many prominent Republicans and against the wishes of the great mass of the Republican party, who do not favor giving all good things in the party's gift to any one man. His re-nomination was ordered by Boss Odell for purely mercenary reasons.

"The Sunday School in politics" has no place in Boss Odell's campaign methods. The machine runs politics on a purely financial basis and Taggart's re-nomination was ordered simply for the reason that with \$40,000 to the good from the county clerkship he could and would pay a larger assessment than a man who had not had six years of a good thing.

Give Mr. Taggart three years more in the Clerk's office and he can pay a still bigger assessment in 1900 and so on in default.

Now is the time to stop what is virtually the sale of nominations by Republican bosses. There is only one way to stop it and that is by debating William G. Taggart. If he is beaten Orange county will hear no more of third terms.

Vote for Samuel D. Robertson, the Democratic candidate for County Clerk and break boss rule, third term greed and the bartering of nominations for big campaign assessments.

No Point in This Campaign Yarn.

An effort is being made in some quarters to make capital against certain Democratic candidates for Supervisor by saying that they used their official position in increasing needless expense in hiring detectives in arson cases. The fact of the matter is that the Board of Supervisors authorized the employment of detectives in cases where the District Attorney is satisfied that their services are necessary. At the time a detective was employed there was a short distance of each other had been destroyed by incendiarism, and if ever the services of a detective were needed for the protection of property it was in the instance named and those who moved in the matter are entitled to credit rather than blame.

Valuable Farm at Referee's Sale.

The valuable farm in the town of Greenville, owned by the late Rev. Stephen Case, will be sold at referee's sale at the Holding House in this city, at two o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 9th. Easy terms will be made and an opportunity will be afforded to get a valuable property at a low figure.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

The Inter-State Railroad Commission gives notice of a public hearing on Dec. 1st, in Washington, on the application of certain railroads for an extension of time for equipping their rolling stock with automatic couplers and continuous brakes.

J. C. Berry, one of the best known citizens of Spencer, Mo., testifies that he cured himself of the worst kind of piles by using a few boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He had been troubled with piles for thirty years and had used many different kinds of so-called cures; but DeWitt's was the one that did the work and he will verify this statement if any one wishes to write him. W. D. Olney.

J. M. Thirswend, of Grosbeck, Tex., says that when he has a spell of indigestion and feels bad and sluggish, he takes two of DeWitt's Little Early Risers at night and he is all right the next morning. Many thousands of others do the same thing. Do you? W. D. Olney.

Pure blood and a good digestion are an insurance against disease and suffering. Burdock Blood Bitters keeps the blood pure, the digest in perfect.

Itching Piles, night's horrid plague, instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment. Your dealer ought to keep it.

Placed high up between the shoulder-blades and on the chest,

Allcock's Porous Plasters

are a sure cure for coughs; placed on the pit of the stomach, they relieve indigestion. Ask for and obtain Allcock's.

THE LOAD STRONG IS CARRYING.

It was said in the Republican County Convention that Selah E. Strong must be nominated for Sheriff "because he was promised the nomination three years ago."

Who made this promise? Boss Odell and the machine workers, and they had just as much right to make such a promise in behalf of the Republican party of Orange county as they had to promise to make Mr. Strong Lord Chancellor of England.

There is a string to Mr. Strong's candidacy. If elected he is to make Rob Hock Under Sheriff. That was part of the deal made three years ago when Mr. Strong was promised the nomination this year.

Mr. Odell has not, as yet, announced to whom he has promised the next nomination for this office, but the indications are that he has an understanding with Jacob Hermann, of Newburgh, whom he put forward as a stalking horse in this year's convention.

Do the Republican voters of Orange county like this way of disposing of the nominations in their gift? If they do not let them rebuke such un-Republican methods by voting for the Democratic candidate for Sheriff, Abram H. May. He is a clean man, a square man. No one owns him. He is bound by no pledges and will make a good Sheriff. Vote for him.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK IN WALLKILL.

Floyd Gardner's Brains and Horace Thompson's Money Won't Win This Year.

We hear cheering reports from the town of Wallkill as to the prospects of James M. Horton, the Democratic candidate for Supervisor and his associates on the Democratic ticket. Floyd Gardner's brains and Horace Thompson's money are not as potent this year as in some former campaigns. Mr. Thompson's explanation of his vote in favor of bonding the county for \$200,000 to build a road from Tuxedo to Newburgh don't go with the plain people of his town.

Mr. Horton, if elected, will not misrepresent the people of his town. He is a young man of brains and character who will make his mark in the Board. He ought to be elected and we believe that he will be.

PUT DOWN THE MACHINE.

Republicans Who Are Not Under the Thumbs of Newburgh's Leaders Have the Power to Do It.

If the honest, self-respecting Republicans of this city and county are earnest in their outspoken denunciation of the machine or ring which dominates our politics, furnishing soft scraps for chosen few, the whole "gang" will be routed. Tuesday, and a new set of men, pledged to economy in every department will take the reins.

Remember that increased taxation for the benefit of a few fattening wallets has been the condition of affairs in this county for several years past, and reform can only come by rebuking the spoilsmen who are now in control.

LOCAL EVIDENCE.

One Line of Middletown is Worth a Column of Foreign Testimony.

Make a mental note of this.

The indorser is well known in Middletown. His veracity is unquestioned. You are reading local evidence. Investigating home testimony. Middletown news for Middletown people.

It is not from Maine or Michigan. Suspicion can't bark around it. Honesty is its prominent characteristic.

Home indorsement its salient point. E. M. Hume, well known in the printing and book binding establishment of A. E. McIntyre, on No. 32 North street, says:

"For a long time I have had something wrong with my kidneys. It runs in our family, for my father had the same complaint. The pain lodged in the small of my back; always became worse if I caught a cold or if I overtaxed myself. Primary trouble annoyed me, particularly at night, the frequency often compelling me to rise four or five times. I tried doctors' prescriptions and other remedies, but failed to get relief. At last I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills' drug store. Now when I tell you that the benefit received was so great that I sent a box of Doan's Kidney Pills to my father who has kidney disease, with positive instructions to take them, you can judge in what estimation I hold them. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, and you are at liberty to refer to me."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50. Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for United States. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.

Remember the name Doan's, and take no substitute.

HOW TO VOTE A SPLIT TICKET

The Attorney General says the legal manner of voting a split ticket is:

"Marking a cross in the circle at the head of a column votes the whole ticket, unless the voter places a cross in the square at the left of a name in some other column."

"If a voter marks a cross at the left side of any name on any other column, that mark takes the preference for that name and office over the column marked only with a cross in the circle."

"The voter may leave the circle unmarked, and mark in the squares at the left of any name he desires to vote, and then none other will count."

What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. GRAIN-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about one-fourth as much. All grocers sell it. Fifteen and twenty-five cents.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the Inspectors of Election, acting as Boards of Registrars, will meet at the following polling places in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on FRIDAY, OCT. 31ST, and SATURDAY, OCT. 31ST, at eight o'clock in the morning, and continue in session until nine o'clock in the evening, to wit:

FIRST WARD.
 First District—Mocha and Engine House, East Main street. Bounded as follows: From Franklin Square through the center of East Main street to N. Y. O. and W. R. R. track; northward along said track to the center of Wickham avenue; through center of Wickham avenue to center of North street; through center of North street to place of beginning at Franklin Square.
 Second District—Wicks Building, corner Railroad and Wickham avenue. Bounded as follows: North by the center of Wickham avenue, south by the center of East Main street, east by the city limits, west by the N. Y. O. and W. R. R. track.
 Third District—Ontario House, corner North street. Bounded as follows: North by the city limits, south by center line of Wickham avenue, east by the city limits, west by center line of North street.

SECOND WARD.
 First District—Phoenix Engine House, John street. Bounded as follows: West side of North street from Franklin Square to the center of Prospect street; center of Prospect street to center of Wickham avenue; center of Wickham avenue to West Main street; center of West Main street to Franklin Square.
 Second District—Nichols' Hall, North street. Bounded as follows: North of the center line of Prospect street and North street to city limits, and west of the center line of North street and Prospect street to the city limits.
 Third District—Wicks Building, corner Railroad and Wickham avenue. Bounded as follows: North by the center of Wickham avenue, south by the center of East Main street, east by the city limits, west by the N. Y. O. and W. R. R. track.
 Fourth District—Wicks Building, corner Railroad and Wickham avenue. Bounded as follows: North by the center of Wickham avenue, south by the center of East Main street, east by the city limits, west by the N. Y. O. and W. R. R. track.

THIRD WARD.
 First District—Frank Wilson's horse stable, 64 West Main street. Bounded as follows: East side of Middle street from West Main street to city limits, south side of West Main street from Mill street to South street, west side of South street to city limits.
 Second District—L. B. A. Taylor & Co's store, 62 West Main street. Bounded as follows: West side of Middle street from West Main street to city limits, south side of West Main street from Mill street to South street, west side of South street to city limits.

FOURTH WARD.
 First District—L. S. one house, East Main street. Bounded as follows: From Franklin Square through center of South street to city limits, and from Franklin Square through center of East Main street to Academy avenue, through but not including either side of Academy avenue to city limits.
 Second District—Bryant's carriage factory, 17 Academy avenue. Both sides of Academy avenue from East Main street to city limits, south side of Academy avenue from Academy avenue to Erie Railroad, to Sprague avenue, but not including said avenue, to west side of Gunning street to city limits.

THIRD DISTRICT—Rogers & Ayers' stable, Sprague avenue. Bounded as follows: From East Main street from the Erie Railroad to city limits, from the Erie Railroad to an Indian line Sprague avenue, to and including east side of Gunning street to city limits, or territory east of and including Sprague avenue and Gunning street, and south of East Main street to city limits.
 For Common Council.
 E. E. HAMILTON, City Clerk
 Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 7th, 1897.
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Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away. If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic and full of new life and vigor, take No. 1 Doan's Kidney Pills. That makes weak men strong. Many pain in the back in ten days been cured. Buy No. 1 Doan's of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c a box. Booklet and sample mailed free. Address: Doan's Kidney Pills, New York.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascara, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

LADIES,

Why Not Buy a Sensible Shoe?

One that is a protection from the cold and wet, yet as soft and pliable as a glove. They have all the style of the lighter goods. We mean our LADIES'

Box Calf Shoes, Lace or Button, \$2.00.

Follow the footprints to

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No. 43 North Street.

Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, Orange County, Goshen, N. Y.
 Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Orange County will be held in their rooms in the County Building, at Goshen, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, at two o'clock p. m.
 All persons having bills or claims of any description against said county are hereby notified and required to deposit the same, properly made out, itemized and verified according to law, in a receptacle provided for that purpose, in the Orange County Clerk's office, on or before the third day of such meeting. All orders for printing or other supplies furnished must be attached to the bills. In default thereof such bills or claims will not be audited or paid at annual meeting.
 In order to secure the proper distribution of drafts for bills audited, claimants are required to endorse on their bill the name of the town in which they reside and their post office address.
 Bills presented by justices or constables for services in criminal proceedings must state fully the nature of the crime committed by the person or persons apprehended or tried, so as to distinguish between felonies and misdemeanors.
 Constables or any other officers making any charge for mileage shall state in their bills the points traveled to and from, together with the actual number of miles traveled. No bills for mileage can be allowed if that are not so itemized.
 D. T. H. TOBACCO INGHAM STUBBLE, Clerk.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. Fuzzell's Complexion Powder gives it.

LOOK!

Big Cut in Bicycles!

1 Dayton, 1 Waverly, 1 Orient, all new 1897 \$100 models at \$50 each, only one of each left.

Second-hand Wheels—1 Ladies' Waverly, '97 model, nearly new \$30; 1 '97 Tempest, nearly new, \$35; 1 '96 Pierce, \$100 model, \$30; 1 '96 Gordon, \$30; 1 Rambler Racer, \$20; 1 Eagle \$25

1 Fowler, \$25; 1 Or denda, \$10. All in good condition. Repairing a Specialty.

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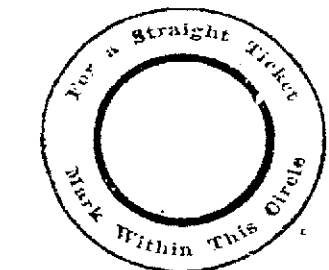
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MONDAY, NOV. 1, 1897.



DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

JUDICIARY.

For Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals.
ALBION B. PARKER.

For Justice of the Supreme Court.
WILLARD BARTLETT.

For Member of Assembly.
ALBERT S. ENHLER (First District).
DANIEL F. SCHULTZ (Second District).

For Sheriff.
ABRAHAM H. MAY.

For County Clerk.
SAMUEL D. ROBERSON.

For District Attorney.
JONATHAN DEYO.

For Superintendent of the Poor.
CHARLES B. WOOD.

For Coroners.
JOHN H. CHAPMAN.
STEPHEN WOLF.

For City Treasurer.
GEORGE E. WALLACE.

For Assessor.
IRA L. BARDING.

For Members of Board of Water Commissioners.
WILLIAM D. STRATTON.
JOHN E. DICKS.
THOMAS L. GILLSON.

For Members of Board of Education.
DANIEL E. HARKENBERG.
JOSEPH B. SWAIM.
ROSLYN M. COX.

For Justices of the Peace.
JACOB O. AUSTIN.
HORACE W. CURRY.

For Constables.
GEORGE W. YAKEDRAN.
LOUIS ROTH.

For Aldermen.
First Ward—GEORGE WALDORF.
Second Ward—GEORGE W. O'NEAL.
Third Ward—JOHN H. DAVIS.
Fourth Ward—ZOPHER K. GREENE.

DOWN THE MACHINE—NOW IS

THE TIME TO STRIKE.

Follow citizens! It is you, alone, who have sovereign right of bestowal of public office, but you are suffering yourselves to be robbed of this precious power by a political junta with headquarters at Newburgh and lesser headquarters in Goshen and this city.

Year by year you have suffered this junta to encroach upon this your great prerogative, have permitted it to name who shall rule over you, until now you are but shadows of your sovereign selves.

As yet you are allowed to exercise the right of the ballot, but that right only enables you to bestow your sanction upon the division of the offices made in advance by your masters, the junta.

How much longer will you tolerate these conditions? How much longer will you be content to be citizens in name and not in fact? How much longer is the junta to be permitted to rule over your destinies by naming in its secret councils, months before election, to whom your offices shall be distributed?

It is time that you reassert, recognize that high privilege exercised by your fathers, in the days of better and purer politics, in days before junta and the machine entered into possession.

This is the hour to strike. Will you strike—strike with your might?

The skies are bright with the promise of Democratic victory in Orange county.

Hundreds of Republicans in revolt against boss rule and machine dictation will vote for the Democratic candidates. The result will not be doubtful if Democrats will do their duty. A full Democratic vote is all that is needed to assure success.

Every Democrat can help to swell this party's strength. Vote yourself and use every effort to see that every Democratic vote in your town and election district is polled.

Republicans in revolt against the local machine should remember that it is only a part of an equally odious and dictatorial State machine of which Boss Platt is the manipulator. He has controlled the Legislature whenever his party has been in power. He is now reaching out

for the control of the judiciary. Judge Wallace was nominated for Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals because he was Platt's man. He made Platt receiver of the New York and New England railroad and the boss owed him a debt of gratitude. More than this, he knew that he could depend on Judge Wallace, who has always been a staunch friend and ally of corporate interests. He is not the man whom the people want at the head of the State Judiciary. Vote against him and for Judge Parker, who is a manly man, an able lawyer and an upright judge.

THE IRONY OF FATE.

Henry George's body was to-day put at rest in the bosom of land owned and controlled by the most distinctive and most secretly managed land monopoly in this country, the corporation of Greenwood Cemetery. It seems paradoxical, if not the very irony of fate, that he, whose preaching it was that all the woes of the masses of the race have their origin in land monopoly, should himself be laid away in monopolistic earth. But then it is not to be forgotten that the body of Jesus found lodgment in a sepulchre owned by Joseph of Arimathea, who was a very rich man, one of a class whom He, Jesus, many times inveighed against.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

ELECTION DAY WEATHER.

The Weather Bureau Predicts Heavy Rains—Probably Clearing in the Afternoon.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The Weather Bureau issues the following election day bulletin: The storm centre will probably centre over the lower St. Lawrence valley, Tuesday morning, doubtlessly causing in New York State brisk southeast and southwest winds and heavy rain, but with the probability of clearing in the afternoon.

BETTING ON THE NEW YORK RESULTS.

Van Wyck the Favorite at Odds of Three to One Against the Field.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 1.—The betting this noon was: Van Wyck vs. field, three to one; Low vs. Tracy, two to one; Low vs. field one to three; Tracy vs. field, one to eight; George vs. field, one to twelve. It is asserted that the odds on Van Wyck will be four and possibly five to one by to-night.

FOR WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Why W. D. Stratton and Other Democratic Candidates Should Be Elected.

If Middletown increases its water supply the services in the Board of Water Commissioners of William D. Stratton will be invaluable. His familiarity with construction work of all kinds, his sound judgment and technical skill will be worth thousands upon thousands of dollars to this city. The people cannot afford to put an untired and inexperienced man in his place.

Now can they afford to make the mistake of electing as his associates in the Board men who will be likely to perpetuate the costly deadlock that has existed for the last few years.

The wise and sensible thing for the people of Middletown is to place the city's water interests in the charge of W. D. Stratton and his associates on the Democratic ticket, John F. Dicks and Dr. T. S. Gillson.

MAYOR BERRY WILL VOTE.

He is Going to Get to the Polls Sometime, and He Wishes He Could Vote in Every Ward.

Mayor Berry was seen by an Argus reporter, this afternoon, at his home on Wickham avenue. He had been sitting up for a short time, but, weakened, and was obliged to retire to his bed.

He stated that he should vote to-morrow, and that he wished he could vote in every ward.

Though he didn't say so he intimated that he had had a hard Board to deal with in his efforts towards economy, and he did say something that sounded like "clean house."

He was particularly forcible in his opinion on the various questions which have come up in this campaign, and he would have been a valuable friend of the city at this time had he been able to tell the Republicans what his party papers dare not tell.

RED ROUGH HANDS

Itching, red, bleeding palms, chapped and cracked fingers, blisters, pimples, blackheads, oily, greasy skin, itching and burning, itching, red, sore, and itchy quickly to warm hands with CUTICURA, and gentle anointing with CUTICURA ointment, the great skin cure.

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ITCHING HUMORS

AN EVERY DAY shoe for men that want their money's worth, a shoe that is worth all we ask for it...not very much either \$1.73—some ask \$2—but never mind that, this shoe is made for the man who has tender feet...the fellow that wants to take off his shoe when he gets home, 'cause they hurt him on his corns—Ask for our \$1.73 calf lined shoes—wear a pair—they will make those corns go away.

AYRES' NEW SHOE STORE,
5 West Main Street.

Took a Sunday Walk to Florida.

Messrs. Lennsby, Dickinson, J. F. Colwell, Steedman, and Bannister, of the Militiamen—Fireman's Walking Club, walked to Florida, Sunday, and enjoyed one of Mrs. John H. McCune's crack dinners. Chief Higham and Corporal Mills, paugh taunted them for the same purpose.

Cut Down the Pavers' Wages.

The pavers who were employed on the Depot street paving declined to go to work, this morning, preparing the bed for the brick, because they said that while they had been promised \$2.50 per day by Supt. Reed, their checks received Saturday night only called for \$2 per day.

For Alderman in the First Ward.

George Waldorf, the Democratic candidate for alderman in the First Ward, possesses all the qualifications needed for the office. He can devote whatever time is necessary to the discharge of public duty. He will be mindful of the people's interests, and ought to be elected.

They All

"There are fads in medicine as well as in other things," said a busy druggist, "but the most remarkable thing about Hood's Sarsaparilla is that customers who try other remedies all come back to Hood's, and this is why the enormous sales of this medicine keep up while others

Come

and in a short time go out of sight entirely, to be heard from no more."

"Why is it?" "O, simply because Hood's Sarsaparilla has more real curative merit than any medicine I ever sold."

This is of daily occurrence in almost every drug store. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the standard remedy which has cured more sickness, relieved more distress and made more happiness by bringing people

Back to

health than any other medicine. Its wonderful cures of the worst cases of scrofula, running sores, ulcers, salt rheum, etc.; of dyspepsia and other troubles where a first class tonic and aid to digestion was needed; of catarrh, rheumatism, malaria and other troubles arising from or promoted by impure blood, have made

Hood's

Sarsaparilla

The Standard—the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

WE ARE ADDING NEW GARMENTS TO OUR CLOAK STOCK DAILY

Our Display of COATS, CAPES, 'GOLF CAPES, MISSES' JACKETS and Children's Reefers Cannot Be Duplicated.

See the values we offer in Ladies' Garments at \$5, \$7.50 and \$10.

Visit our Dress Goods section. You will see a nice display of reliable goods.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 West Main Street. Telephone 166.

THE LARGEST AND MOST ELEGANT LINE OF NECKWEAR!

Just received. Look in our window. Another invoice of those Electric and Soft Band Hats in brown and black. They are great sellers. Underwear, Underwear. Ready-made Clothing—We are receiving new goods every day, and we can please you in quality, fit and prices. Men's, youths', boys' and children's clothing.

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Is booming with orders. Why, because we carry the stock and turn out nothing but first-class work. The largest stock of foreign and domestic cloths in the city. Trunks, Satchels, Dress Suit and Telescope Cases.

JOHN E. ADAMS,

Leading Hatter and Clothier, No. 41 North Street.

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Come and see what we are doing in

Dress Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, Blankets and Bed Comforts.

We show 100 novel styles in Dress Goods at \$1.50, \$1.69, \$1.95, \$2.89 per dress.

We have a complete stock of Linings in all the new kinds.

We are showing a great stock of Underwear for men, women and children—Men's 25, 47, 75c. \$1. Ladies' 15, 25, 35, 45, 75c. \$1. Children's every size, plain and ribbed, grey and white, 10c upwards.

We have the best things in Blankets and Bed Comfortables. Prices range from 49c to \$6, and we show about fifty kinds.

H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.,

No. 39 North Street.

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FOR Boys and Girls,

TIGER CALF SHOES,

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DRESS GOODS

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of all kinds. Prices the lowest. Please give us a call and be convinced.

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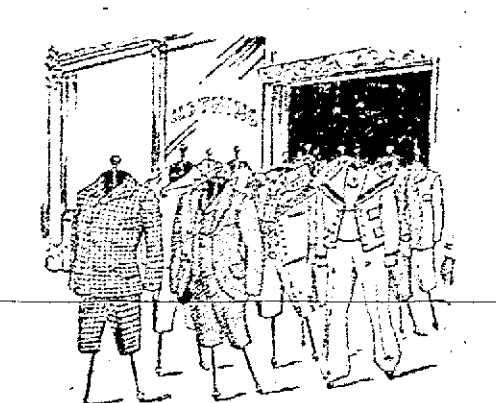
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No. 6 North St., Middletown.



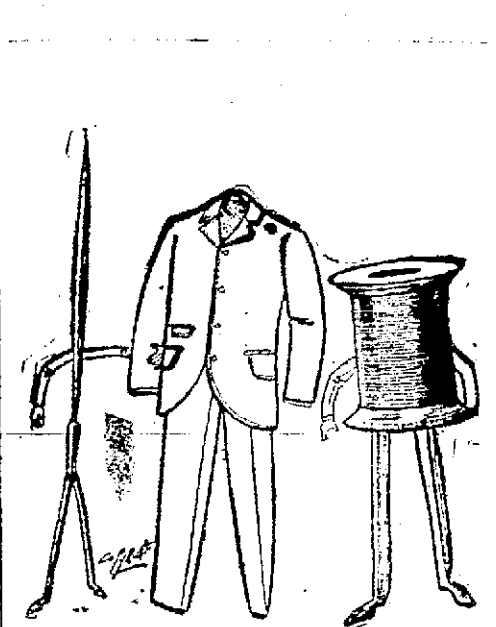
ALL READY FOR SCHOOL!

Ready for play—ready for visiting—ready for anything. Each year we make a special effort for mothers of school boys. We try first to get material that will wear well, then we see that it is made up stylishly—with good stout stitches in every seam. We don't care where you go, you'll not find suits more serviceable for the same money.

NEW FELT WINTER HATS.

GEO. W. YOUNG,

Custom Ready-Made Clothier, 16-18 East Main St.



LET US MAKE

You a Suit, Pants or Overcoat. No matter how difficult you are to fit or how exacting you are, we will please you. If not, you are under no obligations to take any garment from us.

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Suits \$16 up.

Pants \$4 up.

Other Custom Work Suits \$12 up.

We will be pleased to show you our line.

Morris B. Wolf,

10 North Street.

AT STERN'S.

A Few Items Worth Mentioning.

Our Millinery Department is as near perfection as it can be made. The entire winter stock is all in—no need for ladies waiting for other styles. Endless variety of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Winter Cloaks. We are acknowledged leaders in these lines. Our assortment is too large and the space too small to mention the different designs and prices. Come and see. Ladies' Shirt Waists in all prices. We have a fine Outing Flannel Waist at 48c. A Plaid Waist, latest cut, detachable collar and cuffs, for 98c.—A beauty. Have sold over 25 dozen. Nice enough to wear to a ball. Over 200 Silk Waists in stock. Every style and quality represented from \$2.49 up. No such assortment elsewhere. All at our Handsome Store. If you need a Separate Dress Skirt, remember we are headquarters.

L. STERN 13-15 NORTH ST.

C. EMMET CRAWFORD.

DAILY ARGUS.

MONDAY, NOV. 1, 1897.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1.—Heavy rain, to-night and Tuesday; clearing Tuesday night; cooler.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frost's drug store, to-day:

a. m. 45; 12 m. 52; 3 p. m. 53.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—C. H. C. Books will have a sale of books, maps, etc., at Cornwall Farm, Nov. 4th.

—Four rooms on South Street to let.

—Fig rooms on East and West streets to let.

—Suits made to order by Morris B. Wolf.

—Corsets and all cloths cheap at Matthews & Co.

—Ladies' and children's winter garments at Geo. B. Adams & Co.

—All linen shirts \$1.75 at Arret.

—New coal yard at 1517 Oak street.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Nov. 3.—"The Span of Life" at Casino.

—Nov. 6.—Football game, Port Jervis vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds.

—Nov. 17.—Ball of Ontario Shop and Benefit Association, at Assembly Rooms.

—Nov. 17-19.—Fair and Art Exhibit at First Congregational Church.

—Nov. 20.—Newburgh vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds.

—Nov. 24.—Ball of Lucky Thought Lodge, B. of L. F., at Assembly Rooms.

—Dec. 2.—Fair of Waukill Horse Co., at Assembly Rooms.

—Dec. 2.—Ball of Phoenix Engine Co., at Assembly Rooms.

—Dec. 31.—Ball of Ontario Horse Co., at Assembly Rooms.

THE ELECTION RETURNS.

Will Be Displayed, Tuesday Night, by stereopticon from the "Argus" Office.

The Argus has arranged to have the election returns, Tuesday night, displayed by a stereopticon. A canvas will be suspended on the side of the Hotel Hamilton, next to the Argus' office, and the local and general returns will be projected upon it, as fast as they are received.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Vote early, to-morrow.

—Regular monthly meetings of the several fire companies, this evening.

—Remember "The Span of Life" at the Casino, Wednesday evening.

—See that you get your vote in early and that your neighbors and fellow workmen also vote.

—The Big Horn company returned to this city and spent Sunday at the Madison House.

—F. L. Trux has opened a coal yard at 15 and 117 Oak street, and will keep on hand coal of all sizes and of the best quality.

—Friends of D. C. McMonagle hardly know him to-day since he has removed his moultache of many years' standing.

—Monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held in their rooms to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

—Secretary I. B. A. Taylor, of Hamilton Lodge, No. 412, F. and A. M., has issued notices for the annual election of officers of the lodge for Tuesday, December 21.

—Regular monthly meeting of Surprise H. and L. Co., this evening, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

—The Ladies' Aid Society, connected with Christ Universalist Church, will hold its regular meeting with Miss Jessie Leone, 29 Grand avenue, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The semi-annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church will be held in the lecture room, Tuesday, at 3 p. m. Every lady of the church is considered a member and should be present.

—The Span of Life has one distinguishing feature that is certainly its own. It has been translated into and played in the French, German, Russian, Belgian and Swiss languages, and has also enjoyed a prosperous run in Australia.

PERSONAL.

—Joseph Sawyer, of New York city, spent Sunday in town.

—Mrs. Christina Kufin has returned from a visit in Pike county.

—Edward Gunther, of New York, is visiting his parents in this city.

—Thomas H. Desmond left today for a trip to Pittsburgh and Indianapolis.

—Fred Chase, of the New York office of the S. and W. spent Sunday in town.

—Frank Wagner, of Lawyer Hirsch's office, New York city, is in town for a few days.

—Mrs. F. O. Rockwell and Mrs. J. E. Gibbs are confined to their rooms with swollen throats.

—Mrs. Phoebe Conkling, who is suffering with pneumonia, showed some improvement Sunday afternoon.

—Miss Emma Bennett, of Middletown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Penney, of Sparrow Bush, and expects to visit Charles Penney, in company with Mr. Penney's mother, Port Jervis Union.

—Miss Lily Lathrop, clerk in Dayton & Son's store, received a telegram, yesterday, from her home at Wells' Bridge, Oregon county, announcing the death of her father. She left for Wells' Bridge, to-day, by the O. and W.

—John S. Mott wife and daughter, of Postville, Iowa, are visiting at the home of City Assessor S. S. Purvis, on West Main street. Members of the Y. M. C. A. and particularly college men will be interested by the fact that Mr. Mott is the father of John Mott, who is noted as the founder of the Students' Volunteer Movement and the World's Student's Federation.

MAYOR BERRY IN DISFAVOR.

You Watchful of the People's Interests to Suit the Machine and Its Organs.

Mayor Berry, although thwarted and opposed at every turn by the five Republican aldermen who are loyal to the machine, has tried to give the city an economical administration and to keep strictly within the limits imposed by the city charter. He has vetoed many measures which called for the expenditure of the people's money for unnecessary purposes; he has tried to check extravagance and has refused to sanction any expenditure of the legality of which he was not sure.

The result has been that he has been denounced and ridiculed by the Republican bosses and by the little fellows who sneer when they take snuff—the gang who tried to defeat Mr. Berry when a candidate a year ago.

The Republican organs, taking their cue from the bosses, have been against the Mayor because he would not lend himself to the schemes and purposes of the machine. Mayor Berry has done many things deserving of praise but if a single word in commendation of any of his official acts has appeared in either of the Republican papers it has escaped our notice.

The fact is that the Republican machine has no use for Republicans who will not do its bidding and its bidding has not been in the direction of economy and good government. Citizens who want good and economical government, and who believe in upholding a Mayor who is trying to do his full duty to the people, will vote, to-morrow, against the candidates of the Republican machine and for the Democratic candidates who are pledged to a policy of retrenchment and economy in expenditures for city purposes.

DEMOCRATS AND THEIR ALLIES.

Republicans Who Put Good Government and Honest Politics Ahead of Partisanship.

If the citizens of Middletown vote to-morrow, to place Democrats in charge of the city's affairs it will not be in any sense a Democratic victory. Without Republican votes Democrats cannot win, and Republicans will vote for Democratic candidates not because of any change in their views on national politics, but simply because there is no other way in which they can express their dissatisfaction with their party's methods of local government.

There never was a time when party ties hung more loosely on Middletown Republicans than they do to-day. Hundreds of them are ready to rebuke their party for its forgetfulness of the people's interests and its indifference to their rights.

If the Democratic candidates are elected to-morrow, the victory will be one achieved by Democrats and independent Republicans who put the welfare of our city ahead of partisanship.

BROUGHT HOME A BUCK.

Benj. Batcheller Also Found Improved Health in the Adirondacks.

Benj. Batcheller, who accompanied Jacob Gunther into the Adirondacks about a month ago, and who remained there in quest of health and for the study of the animal life of that section after Mr. Gunther returned, arrived at his home at New Hampton, Sunday. He was greatly improved in health by his visit, and he brought home a buck weighing 300 pounds, which he will distribute among his friends.

Mr. Batcheller also secured a considerable amount of taxidermist work, which he will do at his leisure. He has a favorable impression among the guides, who will recommend him in future to those visitors in the mountains who desire good work done in this line.

SCENTS DEFEAT IN THE AIR.

The Republican War Horse of Hamiltonburgh Makes Gloomy Predictions.

A gentleman asked Henry Saward, who stood in front of his house in Hamiltonburgh, Sunday afternoon, if the Republicans were going to vote the straight ticket in his town.

"No," he replied, "there are two men, Republicans, who are going to vote for Abe May," and he might have added for other good Democrats who are not controlled by the ring.

He said: "There is dissatisfa among me, I suppose, but not much, though. I have of course made in other towns. I am not a looks like another town, where Hamiltonburgh will go Republican, and the country Democratic."

BOARD OF CHARITIES.

Aid Allowed During the Last Month.

The Board of Charities met Saturday, the only absentee being Mayor Berry. The report of Superintendent of the Poor Wood showed that relief to the amount of \$192.74 has been granted needy persons.

The following bills were audited:

Prick & Clark	\$ 6.75
De Hart	5.00
John Bonaville	7.00
Gen. Lyon Post	100.00

Will Spend the Winter in New York City.

Mrs. John A. Goldsmith will close up her house near Washingtonville about November 15th and will remove to New York city, where, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Moore, she will occupy apartments at the Empire Hotel, 631 street and the Boulevard.

Mrs. Goldsmith has about forty horses at her farm, and Mr. Moore will pay them frequent visits during this winter.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The famous little pills.

NO PROMISE OF BETTER THINGS

A Significant Feature of the Campaign—Republican Explanations and Denials, but no Pledges of Economy.

It is a significant fact, that the citizens of Middletown should keep in mind, to-morrow, that in the campaign now closing the Republican organs have not promised greater economy in city affairs in the event of their party being continued in power. They have contented themselves with asserting that the highest tax rate in the State, \$38.75 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation is not high. They have had much to say about low valuations and have tried to make it appear that an increase in city expenses from \$65,058 under Democratic rule in 1891 to \$102,751 in 1897, isn't much of a raise, but they have not promised that their party would turn from its extravagant ways.

If there be any Republican who is hailing between party loyalty and the knowledge that his personal and private interests require a change of policy in our city government let him remember that a continuance of Republican rule means a continuance of the policy of extravagant expenditures for city purposes, and that means oppressively high taxes and a ruinous tax rate.

There is only one hope of relief and that is in a change of methods by placing the Democrats in power.

THE BURDEN OF SPECIAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Democratic Aldermen Will Not Oppress Property Owners by Ordering Special Improvements Not Really Needed.

Under Republican rule in this city property owners have not only been oppressed by needlessly high taxes, but still heavier burdens have been imposed on many of them by special improvements.

ordered far in advance of the city's real needs. How heavy the burdens of these special assessments have many property owners known to their sorrow.

The Democratic candidates for aldermen are pledged to a more conservative policy in this respect. While times are hard, while people find it almost impossible to make both ends meet, until taxes have been reduced to reasonable figures, they will go very slow in piling extra burdens on taxpayers and will not order special improvements that are not really needed and that are not asked for by the property owners who have to foot the bills.

Very Poor Misrepresentation.

The Times, which has been conspicuous by its silence during the campaign, lately pipes out at last and tries to misrepresent the Argus. The double shuffling of the Times is hardly worth noticing, but in the interest of truth and decent politics it may be well enough to say that the Argus did not intimate that any organization could be fought with beer. What it did say was that only desperate and rattled Republican candidates would have been foolish enough to suppose that a few kegs of beer would influence the votes of American citizens.

Elopement of a Young Norwich Couple.

Olive Funnell, the sixteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Funnell, of Norwich, a pupil in the high school of that village, eloped, Thursday night, with Clayton Robertson, of about the same age. They went to Syracuse. The young man was arrested on a charge of abduction, and the young woman has been taken back to her home. Mr. Funnell is employed in the O. and W. shops at Norwich.

Sheriff Beakes' Friends Will Not Forget.

Sheriff Beakes' friends will not forget his treatment by the O. and W. when they enter the election booths to-morrow. The Republican bosses spiritedly kept from him many fees which the office made him by right, and made his personal life unpleasant in many ways during his absence at Goshen.

For Alderman in the Third Ward.

John H. Davis, the Democratic candidate for alderman in the Third ward, is in every way worthy of the support of all citizens who have for welfare of the city at heart. He is clear headed and clean handed and will make a faithful and competent a man. Vote for him.

Sale of Cornwall Stock Farm Horses.

C. H. C. Books on Thursday, Nov. 4, will sell at auction, with at reserve, the day-old horses at the Cornwall stock farm, together with all the stock, farm implements, etc. There are some fine horses in the lot and the sale will attract many horsemen.

A Hand-ome Trap.

Fred O. Rockwell has purchased a handsome Kensington trap in New York city, which was the admiration of those who have seen it. It can be driven single or double, and has all the modern conveniences.

The Paving Brick is Here.

Supt. Reed received the remainder of the paving brick required for Depot street, this morning. The work of completing the job will be regulated by the weather.

Turning Shop at Roscoe Burned.

The turning shop of the Roscoe Curtain Pole Company was burned to the ground with all its contents, Saturday night.

To Take a Post Graduate Course.

Miss Jennie B. Myers went to New York, to-day, to enter the post graduate hospital for trained nurses.

BACK

ACROSS THE MOUNTAINS TO THE DR. M. M. NERVE PHARMACY.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

All Saints' Day Services—Slight Fire at the Brickyard—Lease of a Restaurant—Election Returns by Stereopticon—Saturday's Game of Foot Ball—Jumping on Trains—Foot Ball To-morrow.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Services were held in St. John's Church, this morning, in celebration of All Saints' Day.

—Arthur Becker, of this village, will attend a reception at Shontsburg, this evening.

—At 11 o'clock, Saturday night, a quantity of heated sand set fire to the board siding of a brick kiln at the brickyard. Mr. VanLeuvan and his two sons extinguished the blaze without fireman's assistance.

—Herbert J. Dedrick, of Otisville, visited friends in town, Saturday.

—Jerry Enright, of Durlandville, has leased the C. Millsap restaurant and will refit the place and open a first class ladies' and gentlemen's eating establishment.

—To-morrow night H. M. Carpenter, by means of his stereopticon, will show the election returns for the county. During the periods of waiting Mr. Carpenter will exhibit a number of pictures of candidates, scenery and "characters" of the town. The screen will be erected at the depot.

—Goshen put up a much better game of foot ball, Saturday, against her Warwick adversaries than was played the Saturday previous, the score standing 4 and 4.

—On Thursday night Mr. Carpenter will exhibit a number of stereopticon views at the Goshen Social and Athletic Association's club rooms.

—A number of the growing youths of the village make a practice daily of boarding swiftly moving trains passing through the town. When one or more of them have been mangled by the wheels and their whole interior system exhibited to gaze to the cold world they will, we trust, learn that "train jumping" is not the proper career.

—The Goshen Scholastic foot ball team will play at the Driving Park to-morrow afternoon, with an eleven from the Newberry foundry.

How to Vote for Coroner.

A. L. Becker, third term candidate for Coroner on the Republican ticket, has a rather peculiar card in the Press and Times, the purport of which is that he is not running against Stephen Wolf. What Mr. Becker says is factually true, but practically he is pitted against Mr. Wolf, Republicans, who wish to vote against third term officials and machine rule in county politics will make their votes tell by casting them for Mr. Wolf and against Mr. Becker.

One Vote That Alderman Crans is Sure Of.

There is one Republican vote in the Second Ward that Alderman Crans is sure of—"Dave" Miller's. The Alderman has been David R.'s right hand man in his scheme to put a kink in Highland avenue and David R. won't go back on a useful man like Crans. He may need him again, for Highland avenue has not yet been straightened.

Don't Forget This, Fourth Warders.

Zyler K. Goshen made one of the best aldermen who have been in office in the last ten years, when he represented the Fourth Ward a few years ago. He is opposed to heavy taxes, and he will help keep the city's expenses down if elected.

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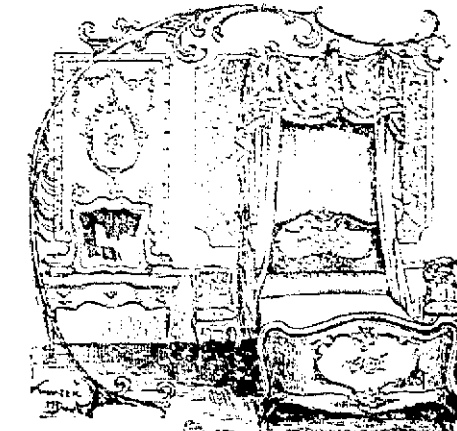
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